

House OK's Simplified Tax Plan

Bill Would Relieve Millions of Taxpayers From Making Returns

WASHINGTON, May 5—(P)—In the face of loud complaints against the perplexity of involved computations in paying taxes the house unanimously passed today a "painless tax" measure intended to simplify procedures for 50,000,000 taxpayers.

The vote was 358 to 0, and the legislation moved over to the senate, where Chairman George (D-Ga) of the finance committee predicted speedy approval.

Drawn by the house ways and means committee, the bill would relieve some 30,000,000 of the 50,000,000 taxpayers of the necessity of ever computing another income tax return, and simplify payment procedures for the 20,000,000 others.

Beginning next January 1 the present withholding system against wages and salaries would be revised — upward for most taxpayers—to take the full tax liability for persons earning up to \$5,000. Thus, the withholding levy would become in 1945 the actual tax for these millions of persons, and they would owe no more at the end of the tax year.

No Change This Year

There would be no change in amounts held from pay envelopes and salary checks this year, but the government itself would compute the taxes on 1944 income for those with wages and salaries under \$5,000.

The measure reshuffles the whole income tax structure, scrapping the victory tax and setting new normal and surtax rates and exemptions while keeping actual tax burden near their present levels.

To provide relief for 30,000,000 persons this year, all those with wages and salaries up to \$5,000 and receiving no more than \$100 from sources not subject to withholding will be permitted to file a copy of a withholding receipt, furnished by the employer, in place of the regular tax return.

These taxpayers will list their dependents on the reverse side of this receipt and enter the amounts of "other income," if any.

They then will sign the receipt and mail it to the local tax collector, without any payment. The collector will compute the tax and where necessary will either bill the taxpayer for an additional payment or issue a refund check.

Investigate Ward Seizure

WASHINGTON, May 5.—(P)—The house, brushing aside only token opposition, today authorized an investigation of the government's right to seize Montgomery Ward and company's Chicago properties. A seven-man committee was created to make the inquiry independently of the senate, which already has one underway.

The resolution carried by a vote of 300 to 60 after little more than an hour's sharp debate centering on exactly what wartime authority congress intended President Roosevelt to have.

Critics of the army's seizure of the plant following a labor dispute described the action as "tyrannical." Rep. Dewey (R-Ill), author of the resolution, said the investigation should be conducted on a "high plane" to determine if the lawmakers "unwittingly" have given the chief executive "unwarranted power."

Rations Predictions

WASHINGTON, May 5.—(P)—Further relaxation of rationing restrictions between now and the November elections and "more drastic" rationing policies thereafter in the event President Roosevelt is reelected were predicted today by Representative Andresen (R-Minn).

Stories at Library Saturday

Miss Adine Downs, volunteer from the A. A. U. W., will tell the stories at the regular story hour, 10 o'clock Saturday morning at the public library.

A waste paper collection will be made Sunday afternoon in Sedalia beginning at one o'clock. Place all newspapers, magazines and corrugated board or boxes at the curb in front of your home where it will be collected by the Boy Scouts. The trucks will take the waste paper to the salvage dealers for shipment to paper mills. Gather all the paper in your home and tie it into bundles for the collection next Sunday afternoon. Every piece of waste paper is needed.

Cargo Planes Prepare for D-Day in Maneuvers



Scores of C-47 cargo planes fill the air during U. S. army invasion maneuvers in England for the re-supply of airborne troops by parachute. Each plane is loaded with containers of supplies of ammunition and food, which are pushed out at 15 second intervals. The planes have reached the drop zone and parachutes in the air indicate that they are already dropping their containers for the use by troops below. (Below) Containers of food and ammunition have just been dropped from C-47 cargo planes during aerial re-supply invasion exercises in England. Jeeps and trailers haul the containers from the drop zone to supply dumps under trees. Separate stocks are established for food, for ammunition and for parachutes. Signal Corps Photo. (NEA Telephoto)



Allied Invasion Equipment Is Superior to That of Nazis

LONDON, May 5.—(P)—An American announcement of the development of battle equipment superior or equal to the enemy's and a German claim of "a hidden host of unknown preparations" behind Hitler's European west wall were thrown today into the invasion war of nerves.

"If you want to call those secret weapons, you can," declared Brig. Gen. Henry Sayler, chief ordnance officer of the U. S. Army in the European theater, in revealing something of American arms improvements.

The German claim came direct from the pen of Hitler's ace propagandist, Propaganda Minister Paul Joseph Goebbels. His article in this week's edition of the German magazine "Das Reich," broadcast by the Berlin radio, said "there exist innumerable defense measures and weapons so far unknown."

Finest Equipment

Gen. Sayler said American troops storming into Europe will have "the finest artillery, small arms with performance better than anything the enemy has used and ammunition with higher explosive charges."

Admitting that the Germans had some superior weapons early in the war, the general declared that improvements to those now available for the Yanks "combine the best features of our own weapons and those captured from the enemy."

Other developments in the invasion picture yesterday included a visit by King George to "secret RAF invasion headquarters" of the second tactical airforce, commanded by Air Marshal Sir Arthur Coningham, and an announcement by the Netherlands news agency Aneta that the Germans had declared the entire North Sea province of Zeeland in Holland "forbidden territory."

Thirty Meat Points Every Four Weeks

Effective at 12:01 Sunday, May 7, 1944, 30 meat points will be made valid for consumers every 4 weeks, instead of every two weeks as in the past. Red stamps R8, S8 and T8 will be validated May 7, for use in buying rationed items at any date thereafter, but no more red stamps will be validated until June 3 — four weeks hence.

They Laugh Best Who Laugh Last

When a young woman in the court house exhibited a flower barometer to her co-workers this morning with: "It's going to snow, see the flower is pink," everybody laughed. Nobody believed it. Snow in May? It just doesn't do such things around here. But a short time later it did snow, in fact it snowed off and on all morning.

Snow fell over northwest Illinois, central and eastern Iowa, Minnesota and central and northern Wisconsin following biting frosts.

Frank A. Wilson To Marshall

Frank A. Wilson, for thirty-eight years with the Missouri Pacific railroad, for the past sixteen years ticket agent at the station in Sedalia, except for the last few months when he was ticket agent at Hughesville, has been checked as the railroad's agent at Marsh-

The Wilson family reside at 905 South Moniteau avenue, and Mrs. Wilson and two younger daughters, Miss Margaret Frances Wilson and Miss Loyce Jeanne Wilson will go to Marshall as soon as they find a suitable home there.

The two older daughters, Mrs. James Eisenhart and Mrs. Floyd Lively, whose husbands are in military service will remain in Sedalia.

Loyce Wilson, a tap dancer, who has appeared at many entertainments in Sedalia and the Sedalia Army Air Base, will enter the Marshall high school.

A brother of Mr. Wilson, Samuel Hobson Wilson, has been cashier for the Missouri Pacific railroad in Marshall for the last two years.

Sedilians were surprised this morning when snow began to fall and fell at intervals all day.

The temperature at 7:00 o'clock was 32 degrees and at 1:00 o'clock was 44 degrees.

While most people shivered in spring clothes one sensible girl came down town in her fur coat and she not only felt comfortable but she looked comfortable.

There is no record at the weather bureau here of a May snow but Thomas Buckley, of North Grand avenue, recalled that on May 1, 1885 it snowed all the way from Fort Scott, Kas., to Clinton, Mo., and when the train on which he was riding pulled into Appleton City there was a half inch snow on the platform of the depot. He said his first impression, when he looked out the window that morning at the trees along the way, was that he was seeing cherry blossoms. Plant life was frozen and all gardens and crops had to be put in the last of May and in June.

Mr. Buckley said that on May 6, 1886 there was a blinding snow-storm for two hours from 2:00 o'clock until 4:00 o'clock in the afternoon, and that he was plowing and had to stop because of the snow.

Thousands Dollars in Account

"After clearing all titles and purchasing the 921½-acre site there remains in the airport bond account \$1,000. The cost of preparing two turf runways 2500 feet long and 150 feet wide, the erection of a small hangar, installing lights and making water available, will be approximately \$3,000. Since the City has only \$1,000 remaining in the Airport bond account the Committee proposes that a group of citizens advance the necessary \$2,000 without interest, so immediate improvements can be made, this amount to be refunded when the crops are sold from the unused portion of the site.

"Sedalia is very fortunate in having one of the finest airport sites in the State of Missouri, approved by the Civil Aeronautics Authority and we should look forward to its maximum development when the war is over, for a city the size of Sedalia without adequate airport facilities during the post war era will be definitely handicapped.

"Joint Airport Committee of Sedalia City Council and Sedalia Chamber of Commerce."

Weather Better

DECATUR, Ill.—Cal Waggoner is betting it will rain next Wednesday, May 10, but he believes he won't have many takers.

Waggoner, 83 year old retired bank employee, has bet it would rain May 10 for 38 years and says he has won 30 times. That record, he says, "has sure killed off the interest," and he doesn't expect more than five takers this year.

B. And P. W. C. Has Election

Miss Bertha Rose Chosen President Thursday Night

Miss Bertha Rose was elected president of the Sedalia Business and Professional Women's club, at a dinner meeting at the Bothwell hotel Thursday night. She succeeds Miss Eva Evans, who has been president for the past two years. Other officers elected are:

First Vice-President, Miss Lois Fricke.

Second Vice-President, Miss Freda Mueller.

Secretary, Mrs. Warren Miller.

Treasurer, Miss Emilie Brunjes.

Historian, Mrs. N. L. Nelson.

Parliamentarian, Miss Ruth Fults.

Auditor, Miss Henrietta Hendrich.

Chaplin, Miss Cecile Tilberry.

Sergeant-at-Arms, Miss Phyllis Bush.

Custodian, Mrs. W. J. Menefee.

Directors, Miss Eva Evans, Miss Hazel Palmer.

Program Is Presented

Miss Bettye Field, Chairman of the Education Committee of the club presented the program. Miss Frances Brunkhorst accompanied at the piano by Miss Rosalie Marshall sang "Who Keeps The Years" and "Bonnie Wee Thing."

Miss Ann Sawford member of the faculty of the Smith-Cotton high school was introduced, and presented three students in the speech department of the school.

Donald Lamm gave an oratorial declamation taken from a speech delivered by Eddie Rickenbacker before the Ohio state legislature.

Marcille Kanter gave a dramatic declamation "The White Bed."

Lon Klink gave a humorous declamation taken from the play "George Washington Slept Here."

Reports on the recent state convention, held in Kansas City, were made by Miss Lois Fricke, Miss Bertha Rose, Mrs. William Bond, Mrs. Warren Miller and Mrs. Ruth Riley.

Miss Hazel Palmer was presented as the new state president and she announced the appointment of Miss Eva Evans as corresponding secretary and Mrs. Ruth Riley as Bulletin chairman.

Ward Subsidiary Plant Employees on Strike

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 5—(P)—About 450 employees of the Hummer Manufacturing company, a subsidiary of Montgomery Ward and Company, stayed away from the plant this morning.

The wording of the communiqué bore a striking similarity to a Tokyo communiqué of May 21, 1943, announcing Yamamoto's death in warplane the previous April "while directing general strategy on the front line."

Koga, who was 59, had generally been regarded as a sound but not brilliant naval officer noted for tenacity rather than for his initiative.

He lacked the reputation of his predecessor, who was known as the man who torpedoed the London naval conference in 1934,

planned the sneak attack on Pearl Harbor and once boasted he would dictate peace terms in the White House.

He already has been succeeded as commander of the combined fleet, Tokyo said, by 58-year-old Admiral Soemu Toyoda, com-

mander of the Yokosuka naval station.

Admiral Zengo Yoshida, heretofore in command of the Japanese fleet in Chinese waters, has taken over the Yokosuka com-

mand, the broadcast added.

Joel T. Rogers' Story in Coronet

A story by Joel Townsley Rogers of New York, formerly of Sedalia, leads the fiction features of the May issue of Coronet. "The Portrait or the Penalty" envisions a situation in Germany when members of the former Reich must surrender loot stolen from occupied countries to representatives serving under the combined Allied high command, and has an ironic twist in its denouement.

The author's mother, Mrs. Bertha Rogers of Washington, D. C., is a cousin of J. L. and Ernest F. Van Wagner of Sedalia. His father was the late Otis J. Rogers.

Joel Townsley Rogers was born in Sedalia and spent his boyhood here, attending a local grade school. With his wife and several children he now resides in New York City. Last year a story by Mr. Rogers appeared in the Saturday Evening Post.

Convicted of Housebreaking

CAMP HALE, Colo., May 5.—Lt. Col. John A. Chase, commanding officer, announced last night that two Missouri soldiers stationed here have been convicted by a general court martial of housebreaking in the theft of jewelry from a store in nearby Leadville. Colonel Hale identified the pair as Pfc. James H. Curtis, Drury, Mo., and Pvt. Melvin W. Feba, Overland, Mo. They were sentenced to 15 years at hard labor, forfeiture of pay and allowances due, and dishonorable discharge.

Central Missouri: Partly cloudy and continued cold to-day and tonight, lowest near 32. Saturday fair and warmer.

Lake of the Ozarks: 1.0 over

full; fall .3.

Sunrise 6:10 a.m. Sunset

8:09 p.m.

Alma Lee Pace, daughter of W. A. Pace of Knob Noster and Fred Staley, 2023 South Grand avenue, admitted for surgery.

Mrs. Homer Thompson, route 2, Sedalia; Mrs. George Ream and infant son, Lawrence Paul, route 4, Sedalia; Mary Louise Engles, route 4, Sedalia and George Hotspur, Jr., Florence, have been dis-

missed.

Susan Brown, daughter of Capt.

Joel R. Brown, Jr., 705 East Tenth street; George Webster, 612 South Kentucky avenue and Mrs. William Watkins, Flemington, Mo., admit-

ted for surgery.

Mrs. Jose Pestante and infant

son, Jose Patrick Pesante, 317 East

Seventh and Miss Nila Lu Flippin,

Climax Springs, dismissed.

Andrew J. Davis, 2400 South Kentucky avenue, admitted for medical treatment.

Alma Lee Pace, daughter of W.

A. Pace of Knob Noster and Fred

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**BROWN'S
AUTOMOTIVE CLINIC**

Air Vets



merry-go-round

by Drew Pearson

WASHINGTON, May 5— Only a few knew it, but one thing Secretary Knox was working on when he died was a personnel plan which the admirals didn't like—as they didn't like a lot of things. This plan was to train a lot of younger, promising Reserve officers to become permanent, regular navy officers on a par with the Annapolis elite.

To understand the revolutionary significance of this, you have to realize the exalted position held by Annapolis graduates. In his recent report, Admiral King, commander of the fleet, said that ninety percent of the navy now consists of USNR rather than USN (U. S. naval reserve rather than the U. S. navy). But he did not go on to say that the remaining ten percent of USN officers—in other words, Annapolis—holds the navy completely in its hands, has a powerful, unbreakable grip on the entire machine.

Today, every important command in the fleet is held by an Annapolis graduate. Only the command of over-age destroyers or escort vessels or other unimportant jobs go to non-Annapolis reserve officers. Yet these reserve officers are the ones who want to get the war over in a hurry, are the most energetic cutters of red tape, the most daring fighters in the navy. Annapolis clique.

Few people outside the navy know how the Annapolis clique looks out for itself and the strange hold it has on personnel. When a group of young flying officers land on a Pacific island, for instance, and call on the U. S. naval base commander, he says:

"Welcome, gentlemen. We are glad to have you aboard." Then, looking them over, he adds, "Are any of you from Annapolis?"

If so, that officer is taken off to get a special bunk, is set apart, looked up to as one of the inside ring.

"Annapolis men stick together like a fraternity," commented one officer just back from India.

This Annapolis fraternity system was one thing which Secretary Knox, shortly before he died, wanted to tackle. He pointed out that, in another year or so, the U. S. fleet would be much larger and would lack enough regular officers of the type qualified to command big ships. So he proposed taking the best reserve officers off of small commands at sea, giving them a year's intensive training and treating them like Annapolis grads—all on condition that they continued in the navy after the war.

But the Brass Hats objected. Raised and reared in Annapolis, they opposed anything which would lower the pride and power of the naval academy. So Knox lost out. Maybe he could have won the battle later if he had lived.

NOTE—Actually, he was engaged in rows with the admirals, especially Admiral King, during a lot of his time. Admiral King even overruled him on the slate-blue summer uniform after Knox had ruled that new uniforms would take too much civilian cloth off the market at a time when it was needed. King went to the president and got him to approve the issue of the new uniforms despite Knox.

Knox's Navy

One of the last persons to whom the late secretary of the navy talked shortly before he died, was his close friend Senator Styles Bridges of New Hampshire. To the very end, his mind was on the navy.

Knox told Bridges of his struggle to build up the fleet from its desperately weak state following the attack on Pearl Harbor.

"Only a few of us, who were in a position to know all the facts, realized how badly crippled our navy was after Pearl Harbor," Knox informed Bridges.

"But now," he added, "the navy is the greatest fighting force in the world. The American people will have even more reason to be proud of its accomplishments in the months to come, when we will form a steel ring around the possessions the Japs have acquired in the Pacific and will completely cut the Japs off from those possessions."

"It won't be very long," Knox predicted, "until we have the Japs completely isolated in the Pacific and they will wither on the vine."

Patton Promotion, Almost Okayed. Was Jinxed by his London Remarks

After months of bitter internal squabbling, the senate military affairs committee soon will recommend the promotion of Lt. Gen. Breton Somervell, chief of the army service forces, to become a permanent major general, owned, Lt. Gen. George S. Patton of "slapping" fame, who, like Somervell, is only a colonel in permanent major general. How proved for promotion.

Inside fact is that the committee was all set to okay both officers at a recent closed-door meeting, but Patton again jinxed himself by his untimely London statement that it was the destiny of the United States and Great Britain

Air Vets

Just Town Talk

YOU NEVER CAN
TELL WHERE People
ARE GOING TO
FIND INTERESTING
THINGS
AND WHERE They
ARE GOING TO
BE LONESOME
AND THINK
THINGS ARE Dull
FOR INSTANCE
A YOUNG Fellow
IS BACK
AFTER SPENDING Months
IN THE Aleutians
HE WENT Into
TERRITORY
WHERE THEY Were

THE FIRST Inhabitants
THERE WASN'T
A TREE
THERE JUST Wasn't
ANYTHING
NOW AFTER Months
IN A Place
LIKE THAT
HE COMES Back
WALKS AROUND
THE BUSINESS District
HERE
SIGHS AND Says
"MY BUT It's
QUIET HERE
JUST NOTHING
DOING AT All!"
I THANK YOU

Looking Backward

Forty Years Ago

Gov. A. M. Dockery has appointed Frank C. Hayman, N. H. Gentry and County Clerk R. N. Lower delegates from Pettis county to the national and international good roads convention to be held at St. Louis May 16 to 24.

"There exist unnumberable defense measures and weapons so far unknown," Goebels wrote in an article in this week's edition of the German magazine "Das Reich" broadcast over the German radio.

Reports from other sections of Europe showed the anxiety of the Germans, now living in anticipation of early Allied multiple land blows.

The Ankara radio said "The empire premiers' agreement on invasion plans" brings the blow "even nearer." Reports from the Norwegian underground said the Germans are bolstering the far north defenses with troops tested in Russia. The Belgian underground revealed new gestapo roundups, and the Germans, themselves, forecast that "Alexander will strike shortly on the Italian front."

Admitting the invasion would be decisive, Goebels said Germans could take comfort because behind the westwall there are "a hidden host of unknown preparations."

Eugene V. Debs was nominated in Chicago yesterday afternoon as the socialist candidate for president of the United States.

(Later he added Russia) "to rule the world."

COUNTY NEWS from—

Lincoln

Miss Maye Messersmith

Mr. and Mrs. Frank West, of

Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Paul

Rambow and two children, Mr.

and Mrs. Carl Rambow and son,

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rambow and

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Rambow

were dinner guests recently in the home of Fred Rambow and daughter, Miss Minnie.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. A.

Fischer one evening recently

were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schenck-

werk, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard

Wischmeier, Mr. and Mrs. Carl

Mueller and family, Mr. and Mrs.

George Stanfield were supper

guests that evening in the home of

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Huff and

daughter, in Warsaw.

Mrs. Lee Lane returned home

last Saturday from Windsor where

she had spent a week with relatives.

Mrs. Armon Mays and daughter,

Marilyn, spent the last two weeks here with Mrs. May's par-

ents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Colbert.

Mrs. Mays and daughter are from

Texas.

Mrs. C. C. Hare and family had

as their guests for dinner last

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Neas

and daughters, of Warsaw, and

Mr. and Mrs. Leo A. Hare and

four sons. The dinner was in honor

of Mr. Hare who left that

evening for St. Louis to be inducted

into the Navy. He left later in

the week for training at Farragut,

Conn.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Watts,

of Sedalia, were here Sunday after-

noon, and the Rev. Watts filled his

appointment at the Christian

church at 2:30. He is resident pas-

tor of the East Broadway Chris-

tian church in Sedalia.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. O. Love and

daughter, Miss Addie Frances

Love, spent Sunday near Fairfield,

Mo., with Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn D.

Martin and son, Dennis.

Miss Maye Messersmith received

a telephone message Tuesday

evening from Mrs. Thomas Sims,

of Marshall, telling of the critical

illness of Mrs. Sims' father,

Thomas Miller, who formerly lived

here for many years as an op-

erator of a shoe and harness re-

pair shop.

Mrs. Walter Davis returned on

Monday to her home here follow-

ing a few days' visit near Stover

with her parents and other rela-

tives.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hanes and

daughter, of Malta Bend, and

Mr. and Mrs. George Stanfield

were dinner guests Sunday of Mr.

Looks Like a Big Brew



TAKE AWAY THE LADY

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"That's right."
"What year?"
"Nineteen thirty-one."
"Oh," said Link, "you mean the year their footballers skunked Iowa 1

Spirit of Pioneers

SALISBURY, Conn. — A former aircraft warning service observation tower fell on Bert Clark while he was moving the structure. Clark, working alone, used a crowbar to free his pinned leg, completed the moving job, plowed a garden, cultivated his asparagus patch, stabled his team of horses and then, after a little persuasion, agreed to have a physician look at the two broken bones in his ankle.

Society

The senior division of the DeWitt Music club met in the studio of the teacher, Miss Mabel DeWitt, Thursday evening and presented the following recital:

Minuet (Paderewski), Maurine Moore; Manhattan Serenade (Adler), Martha Scott; Two Preludes, N. Louise Wright and Anita Isgr; Prelude (Chopin), Doris Mae Stott; Minuet (Mozart) and Scotch Poem (MacDowell), Mabel Helen DeWitt.

The Teen Town graduation party for eighth graders will be held Saturday night, sponsored by the Tigerettes, freshman girls pep organization at Smith-Cotton high school, and a committee from Sacred Heart high school.

All eighth grade pupils of the junior division of Smith-Cotton high school and of Sacred Heart are invited to attend the party to be held at the regular Teen Town hours.

Following graduation the eighth grade students accredited as freshmen will be entitled to the full privileges of the Teen Age club of Sedalia, upon the payment of \$25 annual dues.

Francis Pirtle, 1323 East Seventh street, who will leave for army service May 11, has been honored at several social events held recently.

A noon luncheon was given on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Gehrs, 1311 East Seventh street, and was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Francis Pirtle and family, Miss Rhoda Marie Holcroft and Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Gehrs and family.

Sunday evening the junior department of the East Sedalia Baptist church training union presented Mr. Pirtle with a bronze steel-back pocket Bible in appreciation of his leadership and devotion to the church. Mrs. O. C. Blankenship, department superintendent, made the presentation.

Mrs. Rosalee Alcorn, 1504 East Seventh street, entertained with a dinner Wednesday evening in his honor, and after the dinner was hostess at a theater party attended by Mr. and Mrs. Francis Pirtle and family and Mr. and Mrs. Everettie Pirtle and daughter.

Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. M. Evans of 808 East Eighteenth street honored Mr. Pirtle with a chicken dinner. The dining room table was covered with a white linen cloth centered with a beautiful bouquet of tulips of pastel shades. Those attending this event were Mr. and Mrs. Francis Pirtle and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Goldsmith and sons, Mrs. Zeddie Woodward and Mr. and Mrs. M. Evans.

Closing of Brown School

Miss Virginia Lower, teacher of Brown school, presented the following program at the school, "Welcome," Jo Ann Brown; song, "Vacation Days" and "Vacation Time;" school; reading, "Menagerie," Bonnie Haggard; song, "Mairzy Doats," Mary Lou Brown and Brenda and Beatrice Haggard; reading, "Ma at the P. T. A." Helen Walker reading, "Ma's Tools," Janet Keene, piano solo, "Stepping Stones," Betty Knox; play, "Pa Has a Fit," Willie Morris, Loretta Burton, Delores Welling and Ronald Morris, recitation, "Vacation Is Coming," Ronald Morris; song "Sunbonnet Sally" and Overall Jim; "Jo Ann Brown and Elroy Burton; recitation, "Vacation," Larry Walk; play, "Waiting for the Train," Willie Morris, Beverly Haggard, Janet Keene, Arthur Morris and Larry Walk; tap dance, "I Dug a Ditch" and "She's From Missouri," Loretta Burton; piano solo, "A Spring Song," Joyce Walk; recitation, "My Grade Card," Elroy Burton, piano solo, "Little Bo-Peep," Delores Welling; songs, "When Pa Was Courtin' Ma," and "When You and I Were Young, Maggie," Loretta Burton and Bonnie Haggard; piano solo, "Spanish Fiesta," Loretta Burton; recitation, "Vacation," Arthur Morris; top dance, "Parade of the Wooden Soldiers" and "I Wish That I Could Hide Inside This Letter," Beverly Haggard; play, "Brown and the Agents," Willie Morris, Joyce Walk, Bonnie Haggard, Betty Knox and Beverly Haggard.

The following awards were presented:

Perfect attendance, Joyce Walk and Jo Ann Brown; perfect spelling, Janet Keene, health awards, Willie Morris, Arthur Morris, Delores Welling, Janet Keene, Joyce Walk, Jo Ann Brown, Bonnie Haggard and Elroy Burton.

Refreshments were served.

Miss Lower has been elected for a second term with an increase in salary.

COMMUNITY NEWS from Knob Noster

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wimer were hosts at a family dinner at their home Sunday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Dritt and daughter, Barbara, California, Mo.; Miss Dorothy Wimer, who attends C. M. S. T. C., Warrensburg; Miss Marjorie Wimer, student at Central college, Fayette; Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Wimer and daughter, Judith Ann, and Mary Elizabeth Wimer.

Mrs. Russell Kendrick has returned from Webster Groves after

Heat Wave Hop



Thousands of Gothamites scurried toward the beaches during New York's first real hot day recently, and antics of the pair above, as they shake winter's lethargy out of their shapely, typify the high spirits that Old Sol brought bubbling out.

er visiting her brother, A. J. White, and Mrs. White.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neighbors and T. E. Williams attended a surprise dinner in Sedalia Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. A. G. Hausam, which was in honor of her birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kendrick and daughter, Miss Eileen, gave a goose dinner at their home Sunday in honor of their son, Cpl. George Moore Kendrick, who is home on furlough from Fort Leavenworth, Kas. Others present were Mrs. George Moore Kendrick, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Breon, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kendrick and son, Donnie.

Sunday evening the junior department of the East Sedalia Baptist church training union presented Mr. Pirtle with a bronze steel-back pocket Bible in appreciation of his leadership and devotion to the church. Mrs. O. C. Blankenship, department superintendent, made the presentation.

Mrs. Rosalee Alcorn, 1504 East Seventh street, entertained with a dinner Wednesday evening in his honor, and after the dinner was hostess at a theater party attended by Mr. and Mrs. Francis Pirtle and family and Mr. and Mrs. Everettie Pirtle and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl R. Moore of Windsor and Lloyd Yankee of southeast of town spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kendrick.

Mrs. Blanche Cooper went to Sedalia Saturday to visit her daughter, Mrs. L. C. Fullerton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Covey, Mr. and Mrs. Frank House, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wimer, the Rev. J. A. Morgan, J. W. Sibert, C. L. Sauls and A. S. Adcock attended the banquet and program of the 36th District Masonic association at the Masonic hall in Warrensburg Friday evening.

Bud E. Anderson Circus Coming

The Bud E. Anderson All-American 3 Ring Circus will exhibit at the New Hill Top showgrounds south on Highway 65 near the Rice Hatcheries on Wednesday, May 10th. There will be two performances at 2 and 8 p.m.

This is the first appearance of this circus in Sedalia and according to the advance circus man, Mr. H. J. Lane, the circus is traveling via forty motorized units and carries about sixty head of trained and wild animals and two hundred performers and working people. The circus owned electric plant provides good lighting facilities for the midway and acres of new waterproof tents.

Twenty-five outstanding acts of circus entertainment starring the "Rodeo Ranger," Bud E. Anderson and Tonto the famous Hollywood horse and his \$2,500 silver saddle, will appear at each performance.

Buck Lucas, popular western cowboy star with his group of Texas cowgirls presents an act of roping and western horses, one of the most elaborated of its kind ever presented on a Hippodrome track.

Baby Jumbo, the world's greatest performing elephant, doing a most human display of American entertainment; the beautiful girl aerialists, acrobats and the funny clowns, whose antics fill the huge canvas tent with roars of laughter, and many other acts will be pre-

Inauguration Of College Head May 25

Dr. Harry S. DeVore Assumes Duties at Fayette College

Dr. Harry S. DeVore will be inaugurated as the nineteenth president of Central College, Missouri's only Methodist related school of higher education, on May 25 in Fayette, it was announced today. Bishop Ivan Lee Holt of the Dallas Area Conference and the honorable Paul V. McNutt, chairman of the War Manpower Commission, are scheduled as speakers for the occasion.

The ceremonies for the event begin at ten o'clock in the morning with Dr. C. E. Burford, chairman of the Board of Curators of Central College, presiding. After Bishop Holt's address, Bishop J. C. Broomfield of this conference will present the "Charge to the New President. The inaugural address by Dr. DeVore will be followed by greetings and felicitations from Dean W. C. Curtis, the University of Missouri, on behalf of state related education; Dr. H. U. Campbell, of Sedalia, class of 1913, on behalf of the alumni of Central College; and Dean E. B. Hawk, Southern Methodist University, on behalf of the church related colleges and universities.

Outstanding Speaker

Paul V. McNutt, one of America's outstanding political figures, will speak concerning education in the post-war world in the College church auditorium at 2:00 p.m. Mr. McNutt is in a position to understand college situations as he was Dean of the University of Indiana Law School for eight years and has been a professor of law there since 1917.

Captain O. T. Heslar, USNR, director of training for the Ninth Naval District, Great Lakes, and Lt. G. H. Brown, USNR, V-12 administrative officer in the office of the Director of Training in the Ninth Naval District and Lt. R. A. Ball, commanding officer of the Central V-12 Unit, will receive the review of the navy men stationed at Central College on the Davis Field at 3:30 p.m.

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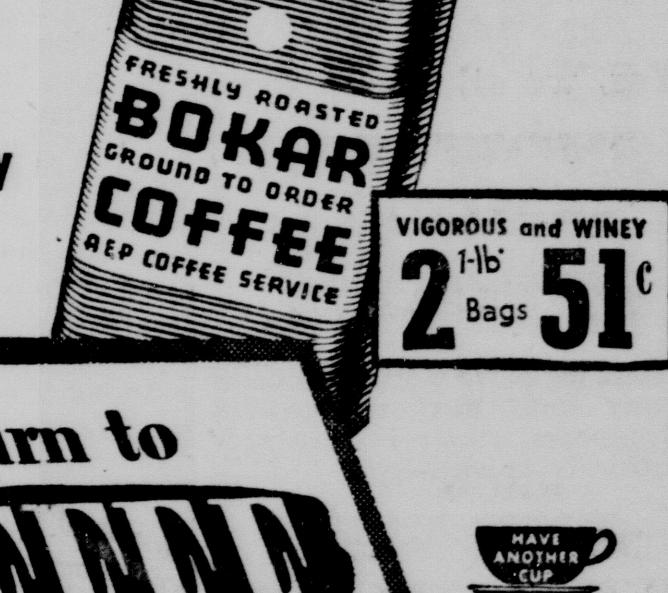
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New Gun is in Great Demand

By Clair Johnson

WASHINGTON, May 5.—(P)—The armed forces have developed a new rocket gun which is in such "great demand" that \$35,000,000 is to be spent on further refinements and production.

This was disclosed today in a house naval affairs committee report recommending a \$65,000,000 appropriation for ordnance manufacture.

Included was a statement from the navy revealing the proposed expansion of work on rocket propelled weapons.

No clues were given as to the nature of the devices, but the navy said in the report that \$15,000,000 of the proposed \$65,000,000 allocation is needed "because of the new technique required for the new propellant now in great demand."

In addition to the \$15,000,000, the navy said, "the facilities of the war department have been engaged to the greatest extent practicable and they have been set aside for naval use to the extent of about \$20,000,000."

Chairman Vinson (D-Ga.), who introduced the appropriation bill, said he expected it would be considered this month by the house and that he knew of no opposition to it. He declined to discuss the new weapons, saying "It's all very secretive."

Car and Truck In Collision

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WASHINGTON, May 5.—(P)—No public officer or employee in Missouri could be barred from political activity under a proposal approved yesterday by the constitutional convention.

Adopted by a vote of 38 to 22, the proposed new constitutional section provides that "all public officers and employees in the state shall have the right to become members of political parties and to participate in the activities thereof."

Editorial protests that the measure would wreck city merit systems of hiring workers flared from St. Louis and Kansas City delegates, but they were successful only in adding to it a provision forbidding "any assessment for political purposes."

Jones Parker (R), St. Louis, wrote the measure as a substitute for labor committee recommendations guaranteeing state, city and county employees freedom to be members of or contributors to political labor or fraternal organizations.

"This is a direct attack on the St. Louis merit system and if it did not wholly destroy that system it at least would lessen its potency," argued Frank B. Coleman (D), St. Louis. But he and other city delegates who attacked the proposal were voted down.

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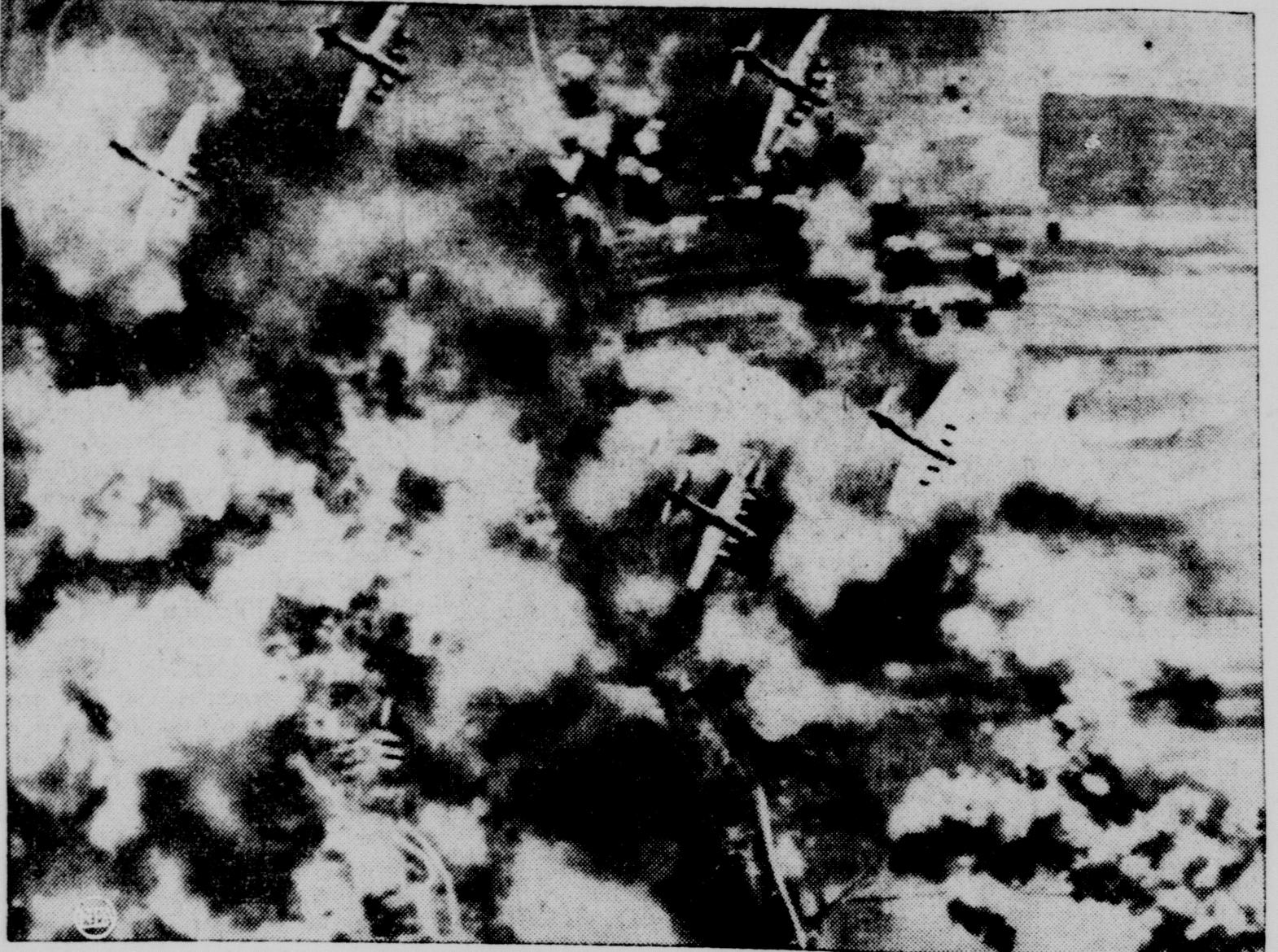
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B-17's Pour Devastation on Messerschmitt Factory



One of the most graphic bombing pictures to come out of the war is this USAF photo showing B-17 Flying Fortresses of the United States 15th Air Force dropping devastation on the Messerschmitt fighter plane factory at Weiner Neustadt south of Vienna, Austria, in the sustained pre-invasion bombardment. (NEA Telephoto)

LaMonte Classes Have Banquet

LaMonte high school's Junior-Senior banquet was held at LaMonte Methodist church last Thursday evening.

An airplane theme was carried out in the decorations, food and in the following program:

Chief mechanic (toastmaster), Billy Williams; "Drone of Motors," group song; "The Crew," Mildred Zeigleberg; "Refueling," Sarah Bistline; "The Propeller," Barbara Crole; "Our Hangar," Supt. Bernard Hartman; "Rising Above Clouds and Storm," Harold Moles; "Valve Trouble," musical selection; "Tail Spins and Nose Dives," humorous reminiscences; the pilot, Miss Lois Newland.

The right rear fender and bumper of Dr. Monroe's car were damaged and the impact caused damage to the right front fender, both headlights and the grill of the truck, a Sedalia Army Air Field vehicle.

Mr. Monroe posted a \$10 cash bond at police headquarters on a charge of careless driving, to appear before Judge C. W. Bente, ex-officio justice of the peace.

Police were called to investigate the accident at 9:51 a.m.

Obituaries

Max Miller

Max Miller, 86 years old, died at 9:35 o'clock Thursday night at his home in Otterville.

Mr. Miller was born in Elmira, Canada, October 2, 1857, the son of the late Conrad and Julian Miller and was the last of a family of ten children.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. E. Miller, of the home, a son, Milton Miller, Columbus, Neb., three daughters, Mrs. L. L. Wright, St. Louis, Mrs. C. W. Hopkins, Otterville, Mrs. G. M. Young, Sedalia, eight grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 10:00 o'clock Saturday morning at the family home with Rev. A. H. Wood, Methodist minister, to officiate.

Burial will be in the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

Funeral Of Mrs. Neale

The body of Mrs. Nelle Neale, who died Wednesday at her home in Raton, N. M., will arrive in Sedalia early Sunday morning and will be taken to the home of Mrs. Martha Everett at Otterville.

Mrs. Neale was a former resident of Otterville. One brother, L. C. Wilkerson, lives at that place. She is also survived by two sisters, of Raton.

Mrs. Neale formerly taught in the Sedalia schools and was principal of one of the grade schools in Raton at the time of her death.

Funeral services will be held at Otterville at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Youth Versus Experience

By Jack Bell

WASHINGTON, May 5.—(P)—The Republicans appeared today to have developed a new campaign theme to offset Democratic claims of "experience" by proposing to put younger and fresher men in national offices from the treasury on down.

Although national committee officials said it was mere coincidence that three high ranking party members have sounded this note recently, an influential Republican declared there was no doubt that if President Roosevelt and Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York become the opposing nominees much more will be said on the subject.

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Publicity' Editor Is Found Dead

WASHINGTON, May 5.—(P)—Elmer J. Garner, of Wichita, Kas., 80 years old, a defendant in the government's mass sedition indictment, was found dead in bed yesterday in a Washington rooming house, apparently of natural causes.

Garner, listed by the Department of Justice as the editor of "Publicity," was one of 30 men and women on trial on charges of attempting to disaffect the armed forces of the United States.

Charges against him are expected to be nolle prossed and the trial of the 29 remaining defendants to continue.

Paid Five Dollar Fine

Ray Reinert of Sedalia was fined \$5 by Judge C. W. Bent in police court this morning on a charge of drunkenness. Reinert, who was arrested at 1:50 a.m. paid the fine and was released.

Births --

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dowdy, route 2 Sedalia, at eleven o'clock Thursday morning at Bothwell hospital.

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Closing of Leading Stocks

Chicago Livestock

CHICAGO, May 5.—(P)—The stock market resumed its rallying stride today as recently timid buyers regained their courage and bid up selected rails and specialties 1 to 3 points, a number touching highs for the year or longer.

Political optimism, earnings predictions and individual situations provided much of the purchasing motivation.

Prices began to stiffen after a somewhat hesitant start and dealings were lively at intervals. Near-closing advances were well maintained in the majority of cases. Transfers expanded around 800,000 shares.

Some Leaders On the Curb

CHICAGO, May 5.—(P)—(War Food Administration) — Hogs, 21,000; slow, steady; sow steady to 10 cents higher; good and choice 200 to 270 pounds \$13.75; the top: 250 to 300 pounds \$12.25; 300 to 350 pounds \$12.00 to \$12.30; good and choice 170 to 190 pounds \$12.25 to \$13.10; 150 to 170 pounds \$11.50 to \$12.50; good and choice 300 to 350 pound sows \$11.40 to \$11.65; approximately 4,000 unsold, comprising mostly good and choice 200 to 270 pounds.

Cattle, 1,000; calves, 500; very limited supply medium and good grade steers fully steady with recent advance; bulk \$13.25 to \$14.85; nothing choice here, top \$15.00; other killing classes generally steady and fairly active, only odd lots offered; canner and cutter cows in broad demand at \$6.50 to \$9.00; all representative weight bulls wanted at \$9.00 to \$13.00; best weighty sausage offerings around \$11.85; vealers steady at \$16.00 down; week's supply stock cattle well cleaned up at \$11.00 to \$12.50.

Sheep, 6,500; two loads, good and choice sold steady at \$14.85; little done choice 35 pound shorn lambs No. 2 on woolled lambs, quality largely medium and good, assuring steady, but early birds weaker; load or so good and choice fed woolled western lambs held above \$16.40; nothing good as the \$16.75 and \$16.85 lambs Thursday on sale; few head good 105 pound natives sold \$16.00; part deck common to medium 72 pound wool skins \$13.75; sheep unchanged, scattered woolled native ewes \$9.00 down and shorn kind \$8.00 down.

St. Louis Livestock

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill., May 5.—(P)—(War Food Administration) — Hogs, 7,000; market mostly steady with some strength on weights under 140 pounds; and a few head of heavier weights; sow steady to 10 cents higher; top and bulk good and choice 200 to 270 pounds \$13.70; odd lots 270 to 320 pounds \$11.75 to \$12.75; 170 to 190 pounds \$12.00 to \$13.00; 140 to 160 pounds \$10.65 to \$11.65; 120 to 140 pounds \$8.65 to \$8.75; a few at \$8.85; bulk good sows \$11.25; few \$11.35; stags \$11.75 down; fairly good clearance indicated.

Cattle, 700; calves, 400; generally steady

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Sunday School Lesson

Paul's Life Envisions the Gospel
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Torn World. Text: Acts 16:13-15;
Philippians 3:7-14

By William E. Gilroy, D. D.

When Paul saw a vision in the night—a man of Macedonia, saying "Come over into Macedonia and help us"—and in obedience to the vision crossed over into Europe from Asia, it was the vital beginning of the organized movement that eventually was to bring Christianity to our own America.

In our modern world Paul would have weighed the Gospel against all the forces of modern civilization, the powers engaged in war, the forces of education, the forces of scientific research and invention, the great achievements of industry and commerce, the marvels of discovery, etc., and he would have been as unashamed of the Gospel as when he compared its power with that of imperial Rome. He would see the Gospel still as the ultimate and only hope of a world torn by violence and strife, paying the long pent up penalty of choosing ways of lust for power and wealth rather than the ways of brotherly love and mutual service.

What did Paul's crossing into Europe mean for Macedonia and the other parts of Europe to which he came? One answer is in the Epistles to the churches and groups of Christians that came into active life through his missionary journeys. These Epistles are the sure evidence of the solidarity of the foundations and the strength of Paul's work.

The text of our lesson is wise in combining with the story in Acts of how Paul went to Philippi—the cause and beginning—the Epistle to the Philippians, which is the evidence of the result. It is in some respects the richest and deepest of Paul's Epistles, written in the days of his imprisonment in Rome, reflecting the fullness of a faith enlarged by his growth in grace.

The Acts and the Epistles must be read together by anyone who would get anything like a full picture of Paul and what he achieved as a servant of Christ.

Attend Your Church

FIRST BAPTIST, Sixth and Lamine. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. W. L. Reed, superintendent. Preaching service 10:35 a. m. Training Union 6:15 p. m. Evening service 7:30. Mrs. Clyde Williams, organist; Miss Geraldine Teufel, choir director. Dr. Rufus R. Crozier, Central Baptist Theological Seminary, Kansas City, Kas. will occupy the pulpit at both morning and evening service. The week of May 7-14 is Focus Week for G. A. girls all over the south. Sunday afternoon the G. A. will have a mother and daughter tea. Miss Lavender of Kansas City has been invited as a special guest. Tuesday R. A. meeting. Wednesday, business meeting, teachers meeting. Thursday circle meetings: Circle 1, Mrs. J. I. Whitel, 618 West Sixth; Circle 2, Mrs. O. B. Poundstone, 402 West Sixteenth; Circle 3, Mrs. William Schwenk, 1517 South Barrett; Circle 4, will meet at the church at 12 o'clock for a covered dish dinner. Circle 5, Mrs. J. R. Dunham, 642 East Tenth; and Circle 8, Mrs. H. A. Meyer, 520 North Quincy.

CALVARY BAPTIST—Rev. J. R. Summers, pastor. Bible school 9:30 a. m. B. B. Bradley, superintendent; E. E. Swafford, associate. Morning worship 10:45. Sermon subject: "The Word of Life" Luke 20:17. Training Union 6:45 p. m. Forrest Merritt assembly leader. Evening worship 8:00. Sermon theme: "God's Marvelous Second Chance" John 21:15 and Matt. 13:54. Sunday School Workers conference Monday evening 8:00 o'clock. Woman's Missionary Circle meetings Tuesday afternoon in the homes beginning at 20. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 8:00.

CONGREGATIONAL - PRESBYTERIAN, corner Sixth and Osage. Robert C. Williamson, D. D. Minister; Mrs. W. C. House, superintendent of Sunday school; A. M. Hoffman, assistant superintendent; Miss Mabel DeWitt, organist and choir director of music. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Morning worship 10:30 a. m. Sermon topic: "The Great Invitation." Junior sermon: "Catching Blossom." Anthem by the choir. Solo, Miss Frances Meyer.

IMMANUEL EVANGELICAL AND REFORMED, Fourth and Vermont. William C. Bessner, Jr. pastor; Miss Frances Brunkhorst, director of music; Miss Lilian Fox, organist; William Schwenk, superintendent of church school. Sunday, May 7—Church school 9:30 a. m. Worship 10:35 a. m. Sermon topic: "The Discipline of Discipleship." The choir will sing: "The Silent Sea" by Niedlinger. The Parent-Education class meets Tuesday evening, at 8:00. Rev. Gifford will bring the message. Services will be held each evening at the church at 8:00 p. m. and prayer services each morning at 10:00 a. m. The

FREE METHODIST, Thirteenth and Marvin. Rev. Paul W. Willard, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45. Miss Dorothy Orcutt, superintendent. Morning worship at 10:45. Rev. Clayton H. Gifford, evangelist, will deliver the message entitled, "The Divine Plan of Redemption." Young people's service at 7:15. Evening worship at 8:00. Rev. Gifford will bring the message. Services will be held each evening at the church at 8:00 p. m. and prayer services each morning at 10:00 a. m. The

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Religious Remarkables



revival meeting is now in progress and will continue each evening until May 21.

TRINITY LUTHERAN (United Lutheran Church in America) Tenth and Osage. Samuel W. Jensen, pastor. Sunday, 9:30 a. m. church school. Elmer Fingland, superintendent, 10:45 a. m. Divine worship for the fourth Sunday after Easter. Sermon: "The Gospel of the Two Worlds." Sunday is "Lutheran World Action Day" when a special offering will be received for wartime ministry to servicemen, missions at home and abroad, war prisoners and related causes. Thursday, 2:30 p. m. Ladies Aid meets at H. W. Stark home with Mrs. L. N. Yunker, assistant hostess. Friday, May 12, 7:30 p. m. Church Council.

RE-ORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST of Latter Day Saints, located at Ninth and Montgomery. Sunday school at 9:45 in charge of Sunday school superintendent Elsie Wiggins. Sermon at 11:00 by Bro. A. A. Weaver, pastor. Evening service at 8:00. Guest speaker from Independence, Mo.

PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD at Sixth and Emmett streets. Rev. Charles Arbuckle, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. E. W. Schultz, superintendent. Classes for all ages. Morning worship at 11:00. Sermon by pastor, P. V. P. A. meets at 6:30 p. m. with Donald Vanderlinen in charge. Evening service at 7:45 with evangelistic message by the pastor. Our Sunday school contest for this section will start Sunday. We urge everyone to be present as it will be explained to the church at that time. Our Tuesdays night prayer meeting will be at the home of E. W. Schultz, 800 East Ninth street, beginning at 8:00 p. m. Regular services at the church each Friday at 7:45 p. m. Sermon by the pastor.

CALVARY EPISCOPAL, Broadway and Ohio. May 6, Saturday 1 p. m. children's choir rehearsal. May 7, fourth Sunday after Easter—7:30 a. m. Holy Communion; 9:00 a. m. Holy Communion SAAF Chapel; 9:30 a. m. church school; 11:00 a. m. morning prayer and sermon by Mr. Henry C. Salveter, Senior Warden. May 9, Tuesday 2:30 p. m. St. Martha's Guild; 7:30 p. m. Vestry meeting in Parish Hall. May 9, Thursday—7:30 and 10 a. m. Holy Communion; 7:45 p. m. choir rehearsal. Fordyce E. Eastburn, rector.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD, Sixth at Summit. Stephen Vandermerve, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Willard Wilcox, general superintendent. Preaching at the 11 o'clock service. At this time the annual business meeting of the church will be held. Reports of the various departments of the church will be read, and new officers will be elected. These consist of a board of deacons, a Sunday school superintendent, secretary-treasurer, Sunday school secretary and others. The young people's group will meet at 7:00 p. m. with Mrs. Mae Belle Puckett as the leader. The evening evangelistic service will be held at 8:00 o'clock. Mrs. Bernice Vandermerve will fill the pulpit.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Seventeenth St and Harrison avenue. Rev. E. S. Brummet, pastor. Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Morning service 11:00 a. m. Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m. Evening service 7:30 p. m. Prayer service Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST, Sixth street and Lamine avenue. Sunday school is held at 9:30 a. m. for persons under the age of 20. Sunday services are at 11:00 a. m. Subject: "Adam and Fallen Man." Golden text: Ephesians 5:14. Awake thou that sleepest, and arise from the dead, and Christ shall give thee light.

Wednesday evening testimonial meetings are at 8:00 p. m. The public is invited to enjoy the privileges of the reading room located in the same building entrance on Sixth street. It is open to the public each afternoon from 2:00 until 4:00, except Sunday and holidays, also after the Wednesday evening meetings. The Bible, and writings of Mary Baker

National Family Week

Religious leaders of the Protestant, Catholic and Jewish faiths throughout the nation are planning special observances during National Family Week, which begins tomorrow. Emphasis will be laid on the spiritual strengthening of family life as the first and most important step in meeting present and post-war problems.

There is a real need in the midst of war to counteract the effects of dislocation and separations on the family; to curb tendencies toward delinquency among the young; and to devote the negative influence of wartime moods and atmosphere.

The family's primary responsibility is the promotion of the physical, moral, and spiritual well-being of the young. In this period of preparation for the peace to come, it is well to stress that the first step in creating a spirit of goodwill and unselfish cooperation everywhere must be taken in the home.

In this task, religion has an indispensable part, since it clearly demonstrates the interdependence of men and teaches that the first requisite for lasting peace is the inculcation and practice of Christian brotherhood. National Family Week brings a timely reminder that unless the sacred foundations of the family are preserved intact, no nation can enjoy true security.

Go To Church This Sunday

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Eddy and all authorized Christian Science literature may be read at this room.

SACRED HEART CHURCH, Rev. Father A. J. Brunswick, pastor; Sunday masses 6, 8, 9:15 and 10:30 a. m. Weekday masses 7:30 and 8:15 a. m. Evening services 7:30 Friday and Sunday.

ST. PATRICK'S PARISH, Spring Fork. Masses at 8 o'clock on the second and fourth and fifth Sundays. And at 10 on the first and third Sunday and on Holy days. Hours for all masses advanced one hour during the summer months.

ST. PATRICK—Sunday masses: 6:30, 8:00 and 10:00 a. m. Weekday mass 8:00 a. m. Novena services 7:30 o'clock every Tuesday night Rev. A. J. Biter, pastor

"Welcome," Norma Jean Rhoads; "Carry Me Back to Old Virginny," chorus composed of entire school; reading, "Johnny's Opinion"; Wayne Thomas; play, "Chicken Sandwiches," Pansy Roark, Mary Ann Hansen, Norma Rhoads, Wayne Thomas, Barbara Ann Berry, Edwin Homan, Ronald Lee Berry, Joyce Ash, Egbert Kindle, Helen Kindle; song "Olive Branch Will Shine," chorus; reading, "Take Me Back to Old Missouri," Barbara Berry; song, "Last Night On The Black Porch," Eldon O'Neill, Robert Hansen, Keith Ray Eads, and Ronald Berry; reading, "A Mortifying Mistake," Shirley Ann Thomas; drill, "Tin Soldiers," Robert Hansen, Joe Holman, James Kindle, Billie Estes, Duane Greer, Wayne Thomas, Ronald Berry, Keith Ray Eads, Wayne Rhoads, and Edon O'Neill; speech, "Springtime," Deanne Greer; "Ma's Tools," Billie Estes; choral reading, "A Boy's Song," Eldon O'Neill, Robert Hansen, Duane Greer, and Keith Ray Eads; reading, "Waitin' for the Dinner Bell," Edwin Homan, chorus, "Juanita"; speech, "Grandma," Ronald Berry; chorus, "Silver Threads Among the Gold"; play, "When Grandma Graduates," Barbara Berry, Shirley Thomas, Mary Ann Hansen, and Joyce Ash; chorus, "When You and I Were Young Maggie"; reading, "The Hardest Lesson," Keith Ray Eads; presentation of diploma to the one graduate, Egbert Kindle.

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "The manifestation of God through mortals is as light passing through the window-pane. The mortal mind through which Truth appears most vividly is that one which has lost much materiality—much error—in order to become a better transparency for Truth" (p-295).

In the Service

A letter has been received by the Democrat-Capital from Pfc. Frank Leet, of Sedalia, who is somewhere overseas. He said that the boys were constantly thinking of their loved ones back home, that they have a job to do and are doing the best they know how. Although their morale is never low, they are anxious to get this war over and get home again. He has been in Guadalcanal and New Georgia.

Pvt. Andrew Stevens, who was formerly stationed at the Sedalia Army Air Field, has arrived safely in New Guinea according to word received by friends here.

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I-Announcements

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SELLING OUT? Sell by public auction, Ralph Stuart, auctioneer, Phone 69-F-23, Sedalia, Missouri, Route 4. Reverse charges.

NOTICE: I AM QUITTING the Shoe Repair Business. This shop is for sale. Any one having shoes here please call for them before May 10th. Wilde's Shoe Repair Service, 118 West 3rd.

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I have been in the Drug business in Bogard for 15 years. My health has failed and I wish to dispose of my holdings here.

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10—Strayed, Lost, Found

LOST: Wire-haired terrier. White with black spots. Answers to name "Atlas". Phone 281-1503 South Stewart Reward.

\$10 REWARD — for information leading to return of black and white English Shepherd female dog, 4 white paws, white ring around neck, white tip on tail. Phone 3731-W or 676.

II-Automotive

11—Automobiles for Sale

1937 PLYMOUTH, good tires. Phone 3356-W.

GOOD USED CARS—15th and Ohio Archie Decker.

1928 CHEVROLET—girls bicycle, 1202 East Broadway.

1934 CHEVROLET sedan, good tires, fair shape. 1614 South Park.

1939 PLYMOUTH Sedan, 23,000 actual miles. Good tires. 1521 South Grand.

1935 DODGE long wheel base. Very clean. Tires perfect. 2101 East Broadway.

1940 DODGE TUDOR—1939 Plymouth tudor, two 1939 Ford Tudors. Felix Sullivan, phone 714.

15—Motorcycles and Bicycles

GIRLS BICYCLE—for sale. Call 1350.

16—Repairing—Service Stations

COMPLETE TIRE and Battery Service. Cleaners, naphtha and stove gas. Phillips Service Station, 7th and Ohio. Phone 3282.

17—Wanted Automotive

WANTED—late model car Phone 2196.

III-Business Service

18—Business Services Offered

PEABODY RADIO SERVICE for twenty years at 1319 S Osage Phone 854.

YARD SODDING — Blue grass, expertly done. Phone Pfeiffers Flower Shop.

HAVE YOUR old mattresses made over into a fine renovated and recovered mattress, at a very low cost. Feather mattresses made from your feather beds. Bryan-Paulus Awning Company Phone 131.

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MACHINE WORK—Prompt service, reasonable prices. Wholesale Auto Parts, Sedalia, Missouri. Homer Hall, 205 South Osage Phone 766.

WASHER, VACUUM CLEANER SERVICE, parts, wringer rolls, dust bags, all makes. Burkholder Maytag, 109 Ohio. Phone 114.

PERMANENT WAVES—Machine \$3.00 up. Machineless \$4.50 up. Cold waves \$10.00 up. Only standard supplies used. May-Belle Beauty Shop, 122½ West 3rd. Phone 824.

SINGER — New Singer electric sewing machines for rent. All makes of sewing machines repaired. We buy used machines. New machines for sale. A Singer representative is in Sedalia regularly. Write Singer Sewing Machine Company, 106 East High, Jefferson City, Missouri.

19—Building and Contracting

REPAIR — REMODEL HOMES—farms. For estimates call Tom Ware 2664.

25—Moving, Trucking Storage

MIDDLETON STORAGE COMPANY—Dependable service under owner management responsibility. Storing, moving, packing and crating Lamine and Missouri Pacific tracks. Phone 946.

26—Painting Papering Decorating

WANTED PAINTING and wall paper cleaning. Call 2289.

IV—Employment

32—Help Wanted—Female
Continued

WANTED LADY to assist with housework. Phone 2255.

GIRLS WANTED — Apply Dorn Cloney Dry Cleaning White and colored.

SALES LADY or girl. Experience not necessary. Steady. Apply Joe Chasnoff.

HELP WANTED: Men and women to work in Egg Breaking department mornings, afternoons or evenings. Here is your opportunity to help on the home front. Good pay Time and one-half for overtime. Apply in person. Swift and Company, Main and Grand.

IV—Employment

32—Help Wanted—Female

Continued

WANTED: SALES GIRLS. Archias Seed Store.

WHITE WOMAN for kitchen work, full day or part time. Apply in person. Terry Coffee Shop.

33—Help Wanted—Male

MARRIED MAN—farm experience. No dairy. Address "Farm Hand" care Democrat.

GENERAL HOUSEWORK, Kansas City. \$18 a week. Phone 2863. Write Phil Small, 1101 West Broadway, Sedalia, Missouri.

SERVICE STATION WORK—Brown's Automotive Clinic, 3rd and Osage.

WANTED: MARRIED MAN to work on farm. Will furnish house and garden. E. C. Martin at Donohue Loan and Inv. Company.

WANTED MARRIED MAN to do tractor farming. Young man preferred, plenty of units must be experienced. Farm two miles East Ionia, 4 room house, all buildings new. A good job for right man. R. H. Sundwall, 1416 South Osage, Sedalia, Missouri. Phone 2993 after 9:30 p.m.

34—Help—Male and Female

BOYS AND GIRLS—wanted to work at Garst Drive In. Also janitor. Call 1715.

SCHOOL BOY OR GIRL to work fountain Saturday and Sunday. Will give steady employment when school is out. Apply Joe Chasnoff.

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36—Situation Wanted—Female

WANTED DAY WORK, curtains and blankets laundered. Phone 1328 evenings.

GENERAL OFFICE WORK stenographer experienced. Write Box "12-B" care Democrat.

37—Situations Wanted—Male

BOY, 14 wants work after school and Saturday. Phone 3596-W.

V—Financial

40—Money to Loan—Mortgages

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VII—Live Stock

47—Dogs, Cats, other Pets

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48—Horses, Cattle other Stock

WE PAY — for dead animals, horses, cattle and hogs, if not skinned or decomposed. We pay telephone charges. Phone Sedalia, Phone 3033.

57-A—Fruits and Vegetables

WEAKLEY'S MARKET — Fresh fish, fruits and vegetables. 117 West 2nd.

59—Household Goods

BUNK BED with mattress. 1430 South Sneed.

GAS STOVE, breakfast set, rug. 523 West 6th.

LIBRARY TABLE cheap. 1316 East 9th. Phone 587.

DINING ROOM SUITE, electric sewing machine. 1709 South Prospect.

BEDROOM FURNITURE and studio couch. 1501 West 20th. Phone 1754-W.

87—Suburban, Country for Sale

BEAUTIFUL 10 ACRE suburban home, 6 rooms modern except heat. Own water system, fruit, poultry house, barn, sheds, garage. 17th and Marshall avenue. Known as the Whipple home. Price \$7,500. Sell on account of ill health. Inspect this property if interested. See E. S. Shortridge, Phone 1152 or 1032.

63—Seeds, Plants, Flowers

BLACK RASPBERRY plants. Call 3110.

PLANTS, CABBAGE, tomatoes, sweet potatoes. 1806 East 16th. Phone 1020.

RASPBERRY, SHRUBS, perennial plants. 5c, 10c. 1500 South Quincy. 1755-W.

89—Wanted—Real Estate

WANTED HOUSE in east Sedalia, reasonable. Call 2516-W.

VIII—Merchandise

49—Poultry and Supplies

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BABY CHICKS—Locally hatched from Pettis county's finest eggs laid. A new hatch every Tuesday. Custom hatching service. In stock for sale feeds, feeders, fountains, etc. Order at once, avoid the rush. Phone 3076 or call in person 406 West 2nd Street Sedalia Chick Hatchery.

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65—Wearing Apparel

TWO MATERNITY dresses, size 18. Baby basket (lined). 1107 South Lamine.

66—Wanted to Buy

WANTED ROLL AWAY BED, Call 2883-J.

WANTED Girl's bicycle. Must be extra good. Phone 2485.

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51—Articles for Sale

STEAMER TRUNK — for sale. Phone 1247.

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79-A Gardens for Rent

GARDENS FOR RENT, all ready plowed, harrowed, and laid off, ready to plant. Phone 2529-J.

81—Wanted—to Rent

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Number 9114
Notice of Administrators With Will
Annexed

Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration, with the Will annexed, on the Estate of I. H. McNealy deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 25th day of April, 1944, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them to us for allowance within six months after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 25th day of April 1944.

ELSIE HOUSE,
SALLIE L. MCNEALY,
Administrators with Will Annexed.
Attested by me this 25th day of April 1944.

J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.

No. 9108
Administrator's Notice
Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Nannie Hutchinson deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 18th day of April 1944, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them to us for allowance to the Administrator within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 18th day of April 1944.

POWELL M. CAIN,
Administrator.
Attested by me this 18th day of April, 1944.

J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.

No. 9105
Executrix's Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters Testamentary on the Estates of Chas. E. Games, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 5th day of April, 1944, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them to us for allowance to the Executrix within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 5th day of April, 1944.

FRATZE ROHN,
Executrix.
Attested by me this 5th day of April, 1944.

J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.

**IN THE PROBATE COURT
STATE OF MISSOURI**
(SS.)

COUNTY OF PETTIS
Be it remembered, that on Tuesday, April 18th, 1944, the same being regular day of the February Term, thereof, of said Court, the following among other proceedings was held before said Court, and entered of record, to-wit:

Order of Publication
Number 9094

In the Matter of the Estate of Joseph C. Hannah, Deceased. Wilbur Stearn, Administrator.

Wilbur Stearn, Administrator of the estate of Joseph C. Hannah, Deceased, presents to the Court his petition, praying for an order for the sale of so much of the real estate of said deceased, described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the North East corner of Lot Number One (1) in Block Number One (1) of C. C. Clay's Second Addition to the City of Sedalia, Missouri; thence East forty-four (44) feet, thence South one hundred twenty five (125) feet, thence West Forty-four (44) feet, thence North one hundred twenty five (125) feet, to the place of beginning.

Being a part of the South East Quarter of Section Number Three (3) in Township Number Forty-five (45) North, of Range Number Twenty-one (21), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in the County of Pettis and State of Missouri,

as will pay and satisfy the remaining debts due by said estate, and yet unpaid for want of sufficient assets, accompanied by the accounts, list, and inventories required by law in such case.

On examination whereof, it is ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased be notified that application as aforesaid has been made, and that unless the contrary be shown on or before Tuesday, May 28, 1944, an order will be made for the sale of the whole, or so much of the real estate of said deceased as will be sufficient for the payment of said debts; and it is further ordered that this notice be published in some newspaper in Pettis County, this State for four weeks prior to said date.

Attest: A true copy from the record.

(Seal) J. E. SMITH,
Judge and Ex-Officio Clerk of Probate Court, Pettis County, Missouri.

Sports Roundup

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.
NEW YORK, May 5.—(AP)—Dispatched from Derbyville: . . . Trainer Whitey Abel traveled from Baltimore to Louisville in the same car with his derby hope, Gramps Image . . . It wasn't for lack of dough, either, for Gramps Image had just won the rich Chesapeake at Pimlico . . . Maybe Whitey told the ODT, "its just us horses" . . . Joe Goldband, owner of Shut Up, a one-horse stable, is due here for the derby. Joe is in the navy and the visit will mark the first time he has seen his horse or that Trainer Ray Priddy has seen Goldband in two years. . . . If you like hints, Ben Jones has erected the screen that protects his stars from the public in front of Pensive's stall . . . Phil Reilly, 70-year-old owner of Dialoway, has a fine collection of pastels. Most race followers prefer pasteboards—with winning numbers . . . tip to bettors: stir up or shut up.

The Unkindest Cut

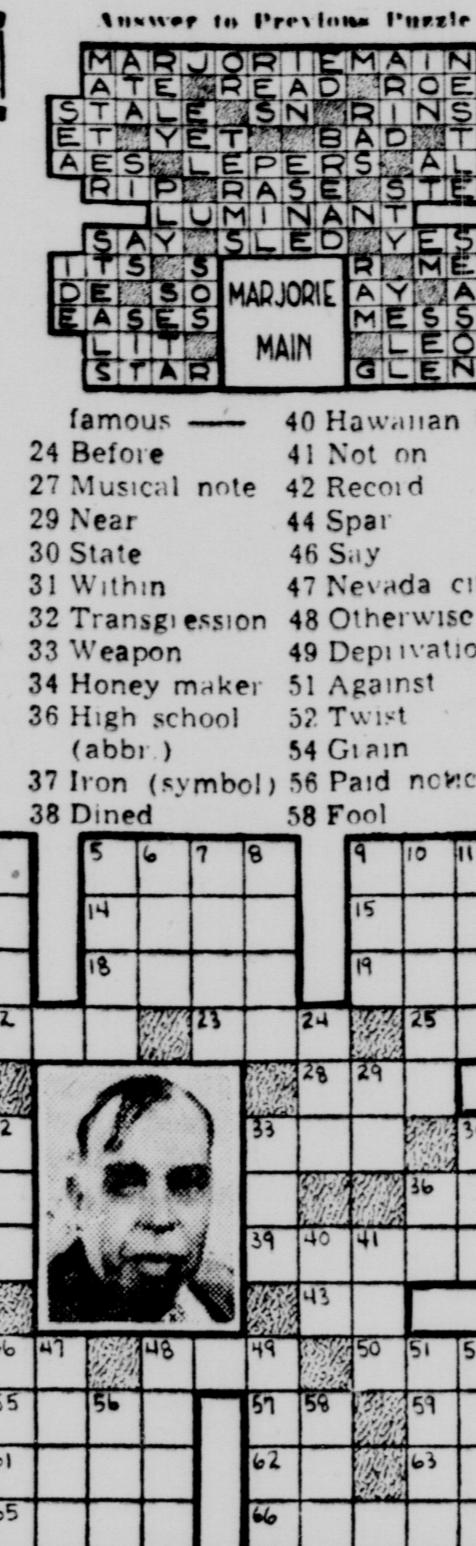
When one of the Louisville newspapers referred to John Gaver, trained of Stir Up, as a Harvard graduate, Gaver (Princeton '24) moaned: "I'm ruined. I might as well give up."

A Rookie A Day

Bill Schuster Cubs' shortstop: Known as Buffalo Bill when he

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Divide Honors In Volleyball

The Smithton girls defeated the Sedalia girls of the USO in volleyball Thursday night, two games to one, while the local girls won the basketball game by a wide margin. These games ended the scheduled volleyball and basketball games for the local girls teams for this season.

Softball and tennis will now receive attention of the local girls. Tonight there will be softball practice at the Smith-Cotton high school diamond at seven o'clock, followed by a volleyball session at Mark Twain gym. Tuesday there will be two regular practice sessions for softball and basketball for the girls. All girls interested in trying out for these teams should inquire at the USO club, or report at the place of practice.

A softball game to be scheduled with LaMonte will be announced next week, according to plans arranged by W. VanZandt of the USO club.

Fights Thursday Night

By The Associated Press
TODAY A Year Ago—Chicago Cubs defeated St. Louis Cardinals, 2-1, in 14-innings, with Claude Passeau going route for Cubs.

Three Years Ago—Cleveland Indians won eleventh in row by defeating Washington Senators, 2-1, in eleven innings, as Bob Feller held losers to three hits.

HIGHLAND PARK, N. J.—Herb Samuels, 135, Philadelphia, outpointed Lew Maxwell, 138½, Newark (8).

PHILADELPHIA — Johnny Walker, 165, U. S. Army knocked out Jimmy Moore, 163, army boxing instructor (3).

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Notice of Administrator's Sale

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of the probate court of the county of Pettis and State of Missouri, made at the February Term, 1944, thereof, and on the 11th day of April, 1944, I, W. P. Hurley, Administrator of the estate of Mary Frances Marriott, deceased, will sell on the 23rd day of May, 1944, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the west front court house door in the city of Sedalia, County of Pettis, and during the session of the Probate Court, sell at public auction all the interest of Mary Frances Marriott, deceased, in and to the following real estate, to-wit:

All of Lot Number One (1) in Block Number Three (3) of Smith and Cotton's Seventh Addition to the City of Sedalia, County of Pettis, State of Missouri.

Terms of sale: cash.

W. P. HURLEY, Administrator.

Attest: Me this 2nd day of May, 1944.

J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.

No. 9120
Executrix's Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Joe Riley deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 2nd day of May, 1944, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them to us for allowance to the Executrix within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 2nd day of May, 1944.

MRS. OPAL MAUD RILEY,
Executrix.

Attest: Me this 2nd day of May, 1944.

J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.

No. 9121
Administrator's Notice

Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Jennie V. Hilligoss deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 18th day of April 1944, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them to us for allowance to the Administrator within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 18th day of April 1944.

RAY HILLIGOSSE,
Administrator.

Attest: Me this 18th day of April, 1944.

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U. S. Forces In Landings At Two Points

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The weather blew hot and cold along with snow and floods in a freak display across the United States yesterday (Thursday).

New York City experienced its hottest May 4 with a temperature of 83.4 degrees while a heat wave on the west coast sent the thermometer up to 90 in Los Angeles and 84, a record for the date, at Oakland, Calif.

But in between, a heavy snow fell in the Red river valley of North Dakota with a 45-mile-an-hour wind and a temperature of 25 above zero.

South Dakota and Minnesota also had wintry weather.

The lower midwest was unusually cool, with frost forecast in lowlands of the Kansas City vicinity.

Many acres along the Mississippi river were flooded although the water had receded.

The deep south reported seasonable weather.

For Ambulance Service Ph. 8

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Yes, it is true, there is a safe harmless medicated liquid called Klearer that takes up pimples over night. Many report that after a red sore pimple face one night and disappears their friends the next day with a clear complexion. There is no risk. The first application may convince you or your doctor get you money back. Only 50c. Join the happy Klearer users who are no longer embarrassed with unsightly pimples. Sold and recommended by

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Sedalia Lodge No. 236 A. F. & A. M. will meet in state communication Friday, May 5, at 8:00 p.m. All Master Masons invited. Lawrence Barnett, W. M. W. J. Kennedy, Secy.

Tin Fish Nips Nip Ship



Many Groups Of Japs Surrender At Hollandia

By Fred Hampson

ADVANCED ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, New Guinea, Friday, May 5—(P)—Seeking to cut off Japanese coastal retreat routes, American invasion forces on Dutch New Guinea made lightly opposed amphibious landings a week ago at two points west of Hollandia, headquarters disclosed today.

One force landed at Torare Bay which is between the two bays from which pincer forces swept to the capture of four Hollandia airfields, beginning April 22.

The other force went ashore at Demita, a village 40 miles west of Hollandia village. Demita is 16 miles west of Tanahmerah, the westernmost of the two bays where Gen. Douglas MacArthur opened his Dutch New Guinea invasion.

The two new landings also served to consolidate the American position.

Surrender By Groups

Mopping up activities at Hollandia brought the surrender of numerous small Japanese groups, including 20 who gave themselves up to a truck crew on the road, appearing with hands raised.

Latest reports from the Aitape area, 150 miles southeast of Hollandia which was invaded simultaneously with the Dutch New Guinea operation, raised the total of enemy killed in the invasion sectors through Tuesday to 842.

(The dispatch did not state how many more had been reported slain around Aitape but previous reports had placed the total at between 750 and 800).

Two Japanese were killed during the Torare Bay and Demita landings.

A spokesman said today that the recent trend of the fighting indicates the Japanese can be expected from now on to offer heavier air resistance. There are indications that Japanese naval aviation strength is being thrown into the northwest New Guinea area, which is within bombing range of the Philippines.

One Japanese bomber raided the Hollandia area, causing light casualties.

Jury Indicts A Hotel Operator

Bond Quota At \$315,000,000

FORT SMITH, Ark., May 5—(P)—Irving Brachfield, Texarkana hotel operator, was indicted by a federal grand jury here Thursday on a charge of attempting to bribe an army officer to use his influence in lifting an out-of-bounds order against his hotel.

The indictment charged that Brachfield, through offers of clothing and money, attempted to bribe Capt. George P. Johnson, acting provost marshal of the Texarkana area, to recommend to the eighth service command in Dallas that his hotel be declared in-bounds to army personnel.

The indictment was one of 13 returned by the jurors. All but two were for alleged violations of liquor laws.

Nazis Tighten On Defenses

LONDON, Friday, May 5.—(P)—The Germans tightened up their anti-invasion defenses in Holland today and Propaganda Minister Paul Joseph Goebbels fed the home folks soothing syrup as the hour for the Allied storming of Hitler's Europe drew closer.

The entire North sea province of Zeeland in Nazi-occupied Holland was declared "forbidden territory" and its remaining few Dutch inhabitants were barred from its highways and waterways without specific permission from German authorities, according to the Netherlands news agency Aneta.

The islands and mainland of Zeeland, southernmost of Holland's North sea coastal province, guard the entrance to the strategic Scheldt river. The Germans long ago flooded much of the province and moved thousands of its Dutch residents to other areas.

Jones said nevertheless it was possible to offer more liberal supplies to consumers now because recent farm production was "above schedule."

The statement was issued a day after all cuts of pork, veal, lamb and mutton, and all rationed meats except beef steaks and roasts were made ration free by the Office of Price Administration. The food trade speculated on the possibility of further easing of consumer restrictions on butter, milk, cream and other dairy products, at least during the heavy production period just ahead.

Jones pointed out that spring plantings have been delayed by unseasonable weather and too much rain.

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Think Nylons May Be Available Soon

WASHINGTON, May 5—(P)—Rep. Rowe (R-OHio) told the house Thursday that "because this is election year" women will be able to buy nylon hose again soon.

"I note that rationing on most meats has been lifted," he said in a one-minute house speech, "it is a good thing elections come around so the officials feel the desires of the people. Along this line, I predict that the women of the country will be privileged to buy nylon hose again within the next two or three months."

Reports Damage To Machinery

With the advent of synthetic rubber, it was possible to build over seven million passenger car tires in 1943 and it is estimated that eighteen million will be built in 1944.

Judge A. F. St. Sure in pronouncing sentence commented the acts alleged were "akin to treason."

Aneta said the province is "considered one of the principal headaches in the German anti-invasion problems."

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